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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION

Dear Sir:

This Letter respectfully responds to the Final Rejection rendered October 25, 2004 and transmits copies of the Request for Continued Examination, Petition for Extension of Time, Petition to Change Inventorship, the accompanying Assignment and Supplemental Declaration and an Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and accompanying references filed on March 25, 2005. A Sixth IDS, Form PTO-1449 and reference is also enclosed. A copy of the Notice of Improper Request for Continued Examination (RCE) rendered April 6, 2005 is also attached hereto, as are a newly-executed RCE and Petition for Extension of Time.

Amendments to the Specification being on page 2 of this paper.

Listing of the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.